

Public Appointments Newsletter

5th September 2019

Welcome

Welcome to the latest edition of the Public Appointments Newsletter.

This newsletter contains both current and upcoming vacancies, each of which has its own application process - please visit the [Public Appointments Website](#) for more information and to apply. Applicants are advised to consult the live version of each advert on our website for the most up to date information on deadlines.

We welcome applications from a wide range of candidates and particularly encourage applications from women, disabled and ethnic minority candidates as well as candidates from other groups which are underrepresented within public appointments.

You can follow us on Twitter [@publicappts](#) for regular alerts of new opportunities.

Kind regards,
The Public Appointments Policy Team

What is a public appointment?

A public appointment is generally a ministerial appointment to the board of a public body or advisory committee.

Public bodies across the UK deliver important and essential public services. This includes large public bodies overseen by boards of directors and small, advisory committees made up of lay members, experts and specialists.

Survey for Public Appointees

Following publication of the Government's refreshed [Public Appointments Diversity Action Plan 2019](#), we are launching a survey to help inform how we deliver the commitments in this plan to strengthen the support given to those considering a role as a public appointee, those newly appointed, or existing board members. The survey asks their views on the application process, induction events and options for peer networking.

The survey can be found [here](#) and will close on Friday 27th September.

We would appreciate your support in forwarding this link to suitable public appointees within your network or organisation.

Current Vacancies



[Coal Authority - Chair](#)

Do you want to make a difference for people and the environment in coal mining areas? If this interests you, we would like to hear from you about an exciting opportunity to lead the Coal Authority as it continues to resolve safety and environmental impacts from our coal legacy and to maximise low carbon and innovative opportunities from the heritage assets.

Closing date: 08/09/2019

Location: Mansfield

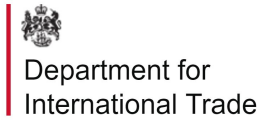


[Association of Police and Crime Commissioners - Police Misconduct Panel – Legally Qualified Chairs \(10-15\)](#)

The Police and Crime Commissioners for the Eastern Region are seeking to recruit 10-15 legally qualified chairs to hear police misconduct hearings from across the region. The successful candidates will preside over hearings involving officers from Bedfordshire, Cambridgeshire, Essex, Hertfordshire, Norfolk and Suffolk Constabularies.

Closing date: 08/09/2019

Location: Eastern Region



[Department for International Trade \(DIT\) - Audit and Risk Assurance Committee Member](#)

The Audit and Risk Assurance Committee is charged with ensuring that the Departmental Board and Accounting Officer of DIT gain the assurance they need on governance, risk management, the control environment and on the integrity of the financial statements, as well as other elements of the Annual Report and Accounts.

Closing date: 09/09/2019

Location: London

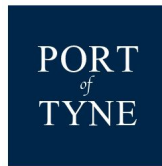


[Forestry Commission - Chair](#)

The Forestry Commission increases the value of woodlands to society and the environment.

Closing date: 13/09/2019 at 12:00

Location: Bristol (and National)



[Port of Tyne - Non-Executive Director](#)

The Port of Tyne, the largest UK trust port, is an independent statutory body governed by its own, unique, local legislation and controlled by an independent board of directors. Its primary duty is to manage, maintain, develop and improve the Port for the benefit of all its stakeholders.

Closing date: 13/09/2019 at 17:00

Location: Newcastle



[Independent Monitoring Board for the Military Corrective Training Centre - Members \(x6\)](#)

The Independent Monitoring Board for the Military Corrective Training Centre (MCTC) has an important role in monitoring the fair treatment of Armed Forces detainees held within MCT

Closing date: 13/09/2019

Location: Colchester



Department for
Digital, Culture,
Media & Sport

[Department for Digital, Culture, Media & Sport - Non-Executive Board Member
and Audit and Risk Committee Chair](#)

The Department for Digital, Culture, Media & Sport helps to drive growth, enrich lives
and promote Britain abroad.

Closing date: 13/09/2019

Location: London



[Ofqual - Assessment & Qualification Design - Non-Executive Director](#)

The Office of Qualifications and Examinations Regulation regulates qualifications,
examinations and assessments in England.

Closing date: 15/09/2019

Location: Coventry or London



Export Guarantees Advisory Council

[Export Guarantees Advisory Council - Members \(x3\)](#)

We advise the Secretary of State for International Trade on UK Export Finance's operations.

Closing date: 15/09/2019

Location: London



Environment
Agency

[The Advisory Committee on Packaging – Retail Representative](#)

The Advisory Committee on Packaging is designed to bring together the expertise and experience of individuals with a specific interest in packaging and packaging waste issues.

Closing date: 15/09/2019

Location: London



Horserace Betting Levy Board

[Chair](#)

[Independent Board Member](#)

The Horserace Betting Levy Board is required to collect a statutory levy, known as the Horserace Betting Levy, from horse racing bookmakers and the Tote successor company which it then distributes for the improvement of horseracing and breeds of horses and for the advancement of veterinary science and education.

Closing date: 18/09/2019 at 10:00

Location: Board meetings will take place in central London locations. Attendance at race meetings and associated events will take place in various locations.



British Business Bank

[Chair of Audit Committee](#)

[Non-Executive Director and Member of the Remuneration Committee](#)

The British Business Bank is a state-owned economic development bank established by the UK Government. Its aim is to increase the supply of credit to small and medium enterprises as well as providing business advice services.

Closing date: 18/09/2019

Location: London and Sheffield



[The Advisory Committee on Packaging – Chair](#)

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Closing date: 22/09/2019

Location: London



Driver & Vehicle
Licensing
Agency

Driver & Vehicle Licensing Agency - Honorary Medical Advisory Panels

[Chairs and Expert Members](#)

[Lay Members](#)

The Secretary of State for Transport's Honorary Medical Advisory Panels help maintain and improve road safety by providing the Secretary of State for Transport, the Department for Transport and the DVLA with expert advice about a wide range of medical conditions and their impact on driving.

Closing date: 22/09/2019

Location: London



[Civil Aviation Authority - Chair](#)

The Civil Aviation Authority is responsible for the regulation of aviation safety in the UK, determining policy for the use of airspace, the economic regulation of Heathrow, Gatwick and Stansted airports, the licensing and financial fitness of airlines and the management of the ATOL financial protection scheme for holidaymakers.

Closing date: 27/09/2019

Location: London



[Armed Forces' Pay Review Body - Members \(x3\)](#)

The Armed Forces' Pay Review Body provides independent, evidence based advice on Armed Forces' pay to the Prime Minister and Secretary of State for Defence.

Closing date: 27/09/2019

Location: London



[Veterans UK - Veterans Advisory and Pensions Committee - Members to 12 of 13 Regions](#)

Veterans UK administers the armed forces pension schemes and compensation payments for those injured or bereaved through service.

Closing date: 28/09/2019

Location: Various regions



Pubs Code Adjudicator

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This is a high-profile and exciting opportunity to support pubs and help them to thrive.

The Pubs Code Adjudicator is responsible for enforcing the statutory Pubs Code. The Pubs Code regulates the relationship between all pub companies owning 500 or more tied pubs in England and Wales and their tied tenants.

Closing date: 29/09/2019

Location: Birmingham



Independent Family Returns Panel

[Independent Family Returns Panel - Chair](#)

The Independent Family Returns Panel provides independent advice to the Home Office on how best to safeguard children's welfare during a family's enforced return.

Closing date: 30/09/2019

Location: Flexible within the United Kingdom



Forestry Commission

[Forestry Commission - Forest Services Board - Non-Executive Member](#)

Do you have expertise, passion and a successful track record in any of ecology, social and/or community forestry? The Forestry Commission's new non-executive led Forest Services Board needs you! Come and help take the strategic decisions required for Forest Services to thrive and deliver its important mission to protect, improve and expand England's woodlands.

Closing date: 30/09/2019

Location: Anywhere



Committee on Mutagenicity of
Chemicals in Food, Consumer
Products
and the Environment

[Committee on Mutagenicity of Chemicals in Food, Consumer Products and the Environment - 1 Expert and 1 Lay Member](#)

The Committee reports to the Chief Medical Officer and the Chair of the Food Standards Agency on all aspects of mutagenic risks to humans from exposure to chemicals in food, consumer products and the environment.

Closing date: 01/10/19 at 12:00

Location: London



Recruitment Advisory Committee - Lay Members

[Norfolk & Suffolk](#)

[Kent](#)

[Cambridgeshire & Essex](#)

[Thames Valley](#)

[Surrey & Sussex](#)

[Bedfordshire & Hertfordshire](#)

Volunteers are needed to sit as lay members on the Lord Chancellor's Recruitment Advisory Committees on Justices of the Peace. As a lay member of the committee you would be involved in interviewing and selecting prospective new magistrates.

Closing date: 04/10/2019 at 17:00

Location:

Ipswich, Norwich and Central London (Norfolk & Suffolk)

Ashford, Maidstone and Central London (Kent)

Chelmsford, Cambridge, Peterborough and Central London (Cambridgeshire & Essex)

Oxford, High Wycombe, Milton Keynes, Bicester and Central London (Thames Valley)

Brighton, Horsham, Crawley and Central London (Surrey & Sussex)

Luton, St Albans, Stevenage, Hatfield and Central London (Bedfordshire & Hertfordshire)



Department
for Transport

[Joint Analysis Development Panel - Members \(4-6\)](#)

The Joint Analysis Development Panel provides strategic advice and challenge on the Department for Transport's approach to developing its transport modelling, appraisal and evaluation guidance and methods.

Closing date: 04/10/2019

Location: London



[Veterans UK - Veterans Advisory and Pensions Committee - Regional Chairs \(x5\)](#)

Veterans UK administers the armed forces pension schemes and compensation payments for those injured or bereaved through service.

Closing date: 06/10/2019

Location: Various regions



Commission on Human Medicines

[Commission on Human Medicines - Commissioner](#)

The Commission on Human Medicines advises ministers on the safety, efficacy and quality of medicinal products.

Closing date: 08/10/2019 at 12:00

Location: London



[National Probation Service - Multi-Agency Public Protection Arrangements - Lay Advisor - Durham and Darlington](#)

The National Probation Service is a statutory criminal justice service that supervises high-risk offenders released into the community.

Closing date: 17/10/2019

Location: Across Durham and Darlington



[Independent Monitoring Board \(IMB\) roles at local prisons and immigration removal centres](#)

IMB members are independent, unpaid and work an average of 3-4 visits per month. Their role is to monitor the day-to-day life in their local prison or removal centre and ensure that proper standards of care and decency are maintained.

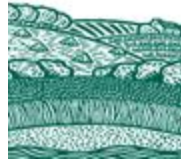
Upcoming Vacancies

The roles listed in this section are yet to be advertised. Once the advertisement is open, it will appear on the [Public Appointments Website](#).

Advisory Committee on Clinical Excellence Awards

[Advisory Committee on Clinical Excellence Awards - Medical Director](#)

The Advisory Committee on Clinical Excellence Awards is an independent Advisory Non-Departmental Public Body. It advises Health Ministers on the making of clinical excellence awards to consultants and academic GPs working in the NHS.



[Advisory Committee on Releases to the Environment](#)

The Advisory Committee on Releases to the Environment gives statutory advice to ministers on the risks to human health and the environment from the release of genetically modified organisms.



[Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board - Chair and Members](#)

We're a statutory levy board, funded by farmers, growers and others in the supply chain to help the industry succeed in a rapidly changing world. We want to create a world-class food and farming industry, inspired by and competing with the best.



[Arts & Humanities Research Council - Executive Chair](#)

At the Arts and Humanities Research Council we fund world-class, independent researchers in a wide range of subjects from history and archaeology to philosophy and languages. We also fund more contemporary research including the design and effectiveness of digital content and the impact of artificial intelligence.



[Consumer Council for Water - Members](#)

The Consumer Council for Water is the independent representative of household and business water consumers in England and Wales.

GAMBLING COMMISSION

[Gambling Commission - Commissioners \(x3\)](#)

The Gambling Commission regulates arcades, betting, bingo, casinos, gaming machine providers, gambling software providers, lottery operators, external lottery managers and remote gambling (online and by phone) that use British-based equipment.



LOW CARBON
CONTRACTS COMPANY

[Low Carbon Contracts Company and Electricity Settlements Company - Senior Independent Director](#)

The Low Carbon Contracts Company and Electricity Settlements Company are sister companies which play a key role in supporting the delivery of secure and low-carbon electricity for the UK.



Medicines & Healthcare products
Regulatory Agency

[Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency - Non-Executive Directors](#)
[\(x2\)](#)

The Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency is the regulator of medicines, medical devices and blood components for transfusion in the UK and the primary source of expertise for matters relating to the safety, quality and efficacy of medicines and medical devices.

NATIONAL
HERITAGE
MEMORIAL
FUND



[National Heritage Memorial Fund - Northern Ireland Chair](#)

The National Heritage Memorial Fund saves the most outstanding parts of our heritage at risk of loss to the nation, as a memorial to those who have given their lives for the UK.



[Natural England - Members](#)

Natural England is the Government's adviser for the natural environment in England, helping to protect England's nature and landscapes for people to enjoy and for the services they provide.



[Nuclear Decommissioning Authority - Chair](#)

The work of the NDA has critical national significance, will have an impact for generations to come and is visible on the world stage. Decommissioning the UK's complex nuclear estate requires a careful balance of safe operation, risk management, innovation and strong commercial discipline to achieve safely the best outcome for taxpayers.

The NDA is looking to recruit a new Non-Executive Chair following the completion of the term of the current Chair. This role will include 10 full board meetings per annum. These may take place in any of the 17 locations across the country; however, they are most likely to be in either London or Cumbria.



[Ofwat - Members](#)

The Water Services Regulation Authority, or Ofwat, is the economic regulator of the water sector in England and Wales.



[Public Health England - Non-Executive Members \(x4\)](#)

Public Health England is an Executive Agency of the Department of Health and Social Care and is responsible for protecting and promoting the health and wellbeing of the nation and addressing health inequalities.



[Sentencing Council for England and Wales - Non-Judicial Member](#)

The Sentencing Council for England and Wales promotes greater consistency in sentencing while maintaining the independence of the judiciary.



[Youth Justice Board for England and Wales - Chair](#)

We are a non-departmental public body responsible for overseeing the youth justice system in England and Wales.